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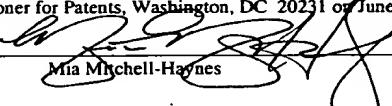
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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2002 please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Marked-up versions of the amended claims have been reproduced below in an appendix A on a separate page. All the pending claims have been reproduced in the appendix for the convenience of the examiner. The amended claims below are "clean," having no underlining or brackets. Please substitute the clean versions of 1, 3, 5, 14, 21, 22, 24, 26, 30, 31, 32, 35, 36 and 37.

Sub 101

1. (Twice Amended) A gaming machine comprising:
a master gaming controller designed or configured to control a game play sequence on the gaming machine for a game of chance, said game play sequence comprising: 1) receiving a wager on an outcome for the game of chance, 2) receiving a prize selection corresponding to an award for at least one outcome for the game of chance, 3) determining the outcome for the game of chance, 4) displaying the outcome for the game of chance and 5)

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